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105. (New) The optical glass of claim 15 wherein said optical glass comprises 0-11 percent of BaO.

106. (New) The optical glass of claim 16 wherein said total quantity of Li₂O, Na₂O, and K₂O is equal to or more than 29 percent.

107. (New) A method of manufacturing glass products comprising the steps of:
heating the glass preform prepared by the method of claim 103; and
precisely press molding the heated glass preform to obtain a glass product.

REMARKS

By the present Preliminary Amendment, Applicants have canceled claims 20-58 to remove apparent errors in the numbering of the claims and to also remove the multiple dependency of the claims, new claims 59-107 have been added accordingly.

Favorable consideration on the merits is believed to be next in order, and is earnestly solicited.

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